Introduced by Assembly Member Wiggins

July 11, 2001

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 95—Relative to the Randy Bolt Memorial Highway.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 95, as introduced, Wiggins. Randy Bolt Memorial Highway. This measure would redesignate State Route 37 as the Randy Bolt Memorial Highway in honor and recognition of Randy Bolt. The measure also would request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost for appropriate signs showing the special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those signs.

Fiscal committee: yes.

- 1 WHEREAS, On May 9, 1995, William Randall "Randy" Bolt
- 2 was killed in a traffic accident while on duty as a special agent with
- 3 the Department of Justice, Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement; and
- 4 WHEREAS, On that date, Randy Bolt was driving eastbound
- 5 State Route 37, east of Skaggs Island Road, Solano County,
- 6 California when at approximately 7:25 a.m., a party driving a
- 7 vehicle westbound crossed the painted double yellow lines directly
- 8 into the path of Randy Bolt's unmarked Department of Justice
- 9 vehicle; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The two vehicles collided head-on and both Randy
- 11 Bolt and the party driving the other vehicle died instantly; and

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WHEREAS, Randy Bolt was only 48 years old at the time of his death; and

WHEREAS, Randy Bolt began his tenure as a law enforcement officer for the State of California in the year 1968 with the Fremont Police Department and subsequent to that employment, he was employed by the Placer County Sheriff's Department and the San Rafael Police Department; and

8 WHEREAS, On May 1, 1988, Randy Bolt was appointed to the 9 Department of Justice and assigned to the Bureau of Narcotic 10 Enforcement, Riverside regional office; and

WHEREAS, In January 1990, Randy Bolt was transferred to the Bureau of Narcotic Enforcement, San Francisco regional office where he worked until his untimely death; and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the Legislature of the State of California honor the memory of Special Agent Randy Bolt, and convey the Legislature's appreciation of his life of public service as a law enforcement officer on behalf of California; and

WHEREAS, It would be a fitting tribute to Randy Bolt to redesignate State Route 37 as the Randy Bolt Memorial Highway; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature hereby redesignates State Route 37 the Randy Bolt Memorial Highway in honor and recognition of Randy Bolt; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Transportation is hereby requested to determine the cost of appropriate plaques and markers, consistent with the signing requirements for the state highway system, showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering the cost, to erect those plaques and markers; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the Director of Transportation and to the author for distribution.